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Columbus 14, Ohio

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 14, 1960, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write.

It was very kind of you and your husband to comment as you did regarding my report, "Communist Target--Youth." In view of your concern about communism, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Columbus, 14, Ohio
August 14, 1960

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J. Edgar Hoover
Director Federal Bureau Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, 25, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I feel it is my duty as an American, and a member of the John Birch Society, Chapter (224), Columbus, Ohio, to write just a small note of appreciation and a congradulation to you, for the outstanding report you have made public in the House Un-American Committee release. July 18, 1960, entitled Communist Target-Youth.

I expect no reply on this letter from you, but wish you to know my grateful feelings on the wonderful work you are doing for this great country of ours.

May God be good to us, and give you many many more years to serve your country. America needs you.

Sincerely yours,

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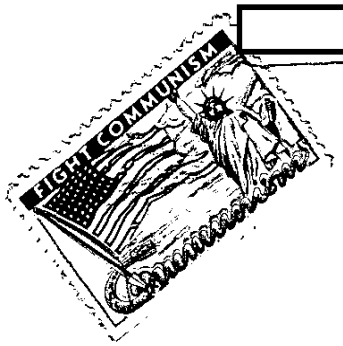

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Dear Mr. [redacted]:

Your note of August 16, 1960, has been received.

Thank you for your thoughtful message, and I want you to know that it is encouraging that you are alerted to the dangers presented by subversive elements in our society today. I am enclosing some additional publications on the general subject of communism which you may find of interest.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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What you Can Do to Fight Communism
Expose of Soviet Espionage

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Lufkin, Texas
Aug. 16, 1960
[redacted]

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover:

Dear Sir:

This is strictly a note of praise, encouragement and appreciation for your part is making possible the pamphlet Communist Target--Youth released by the House Un-American Activities Committee. This pamphlet proves what many of us thought was true.

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This pamphlet was brought to our attention by our John Birch Society.

Thanks for this excellent report and Thanks for fighting our fight.

Sincerely yours

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P.S. No answer expected.

J. Edgar

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Lufkin, Texas
Aug. 16, 1960

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover:

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This pamphlet was brought to our attention by our John Birch Society.

Thanks for this excellent report and thanks for fighting our fight.

Sincerely yours

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P.S. No answer expected.

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

I have received your letter postmarked August 18, 1960, regarding my statement entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

It was certainly thoughtful of you to write me about this, and I want to thank you for affording me the benefit of your observations. I am enclosing some material concerning communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (5)
Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
God and Country or Communism?
What You Can Do To Fight Communism
17th National Convention CP, USA & March, 1960, LEB Introduction
Expose of Soviet Espionage

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Members of the Society were instructed in their monthly publication to write the Director these letters of congratulations.

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TALLAHASSE, FLORIDA

Aug. 14, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I am the wife of a medical doctor who has practiced medicine here in Tallahassee, Fla. for the past 23 years -- My husband and I have been worried for a long time about evident communist infiltration of our country and the apathy of the people to this danger. We read with horror of the San Francisco riots. b6 b7C

At the suggestion of the John Birch Society I am writing to my Congressman and asking for several of the pamphlets issued by the House Un-American Activities Committee on July 18, 1960, entitled "Communist Target-Youth-" I shall see that they are read by as many of my friends as I can -

We wish to thank you for making this information available to us in this wonderful report.

Please do not consider that a reply to this letter is necessary. - I only want to express our gratitude for your dedication to protection of our nation With very best wishes I remain,

Sincerely,

/s/ [redacted]

J. Edgar

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

to protection of our nation

With very best wishes I

remain,

Sincerely,

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August 24, 1960

Mrs. [redacted]
Mount Vernon, Washington

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 17, 1960, with enclosure, extending congratulations on my report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

Your generous comments concerning this pamphlet and my book, "Masters of Deceit," are indeed appreciated, and I want to thank you for writing me in this regard. In response to your request, I am forwarding, under separate cover, ten copies each of the reprints you mentioned. There is no charge for this material, and the check you enclosed is being returned.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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10 Communist Target--Youth
10 God and Country or Communism?

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NOTE: Correspondent wrote to the Bureau July, 1960, inquiring about the background of the John Birch Society. She was advised of the confidential nature of our files by letter of 8-10-60, and she was sent the reprints she now requests. The John Birch Society was organized by Robert Welch in December, 1958, at Indianapolis, Indiana. It is allegedly an anticommunist organization with branches over various parts of the country. Welch has been quite critical of President Eisenhower and his Administration. SAC letter 60-5 calls this organization to the attention of the field and instructs them that any information on their activities should be furnished to the Bureau.

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Aug 17, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director of FBI

Dear Mr. Hoover,

First accept my congratulations on your excellent pamphlet entitled "Communist Target-Youth." It is a superb report and I wish it could be printed in every newspaper of the land. Perhaps through its message & medium every individual in the United States could be reached. I also wish you could write more pamphlets on different aspics of the same vital question or topic - "Communism." I write the above paragraph as a member of The John Birch Society of which I am a recent member.

Your wonderful book "Masters of Deceit" should be a must on every reading list in every school in our land and should be on every bookshelf in every home. If we could somehow get people to read more of this type of book & your pamphlets perhaps some of the apathy and indifference we encounter every day would be alleviated.

Now I want to express my appreciation and thanks for your very considerate answer to my letter and the pamphlets you sent me. And now I have a request. I am so anxious for others to read these reports, please send me posthaste copies of the papers you sent me as listed below:

10 - "Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality Dec. 1959.
10 - A reprint for the FBI law Enforcement Bulletin, March, 1960. "An Analysis of the 17th National Convention of the Communist Party, USA".
10 - "Communist Target-Youth"
10 - "God and Country or Communism?"

and anything more you have that might help to awaken people to our dangerous enemy. I enclose $5.00 . If this is not enough

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I will send whatever more you need.

Six each of these papers I will give to The John Birch Society to distribute as our very sincere leader sees fit.

No answer to this letter is expected. Your time is too valuable.

Sincerely

/s/ Mrs. [redacted]

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Mount Vernon
Washington State

Aug 17, 1960

Mr. Edgar Hoover
Director of FBI

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August 24, 1960

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Santa Ana, California

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 15, 1960, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write.

It was very kind of you to comment as you did regarding my report, "Communist Target--Youth." In view of your concern about communism, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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(Mrs.) [redacted]

[redacted]ta Ana, Calif.
August 15, 1960

Mr. Tolson
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Miss Gandy

J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

I wish to congratulate you on your fine report that was used by the House Un-American Activities Committee in the pamphlet, entitled "Communist Target-Youth", concerning the San Francisco riots.

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I am a member of the John Birch Society and I hope to use this report to open the eyes of some of my complacent frieds, as to the seriousness of the situation.

Thanks again for your excellent work..

Yours very truly,,

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Mrs. [redacted]
[redacted]
Camarillo, California

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DATE 8/31/11 BY [redacted]

Dear Mrs. [redacted]:

It was certainly kind of you to write me on August 14, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

I deeply appreciate the generous comments about the pamphlet from you and your husband, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material concerning communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Camarillo, California
August 14, 1960

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Mr. H. Edgar Hoover:
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

It is indeed a great pleasure to write to you today and tell you how much my husband and I have always admired you for your courageous stand against the communists and their subversive activities in the United States. We have read most of your books and have passed them out among our friends and acquaintances. We know too what great difficulties you must face each and every day.

We wish especially to thank you for the superb report you made in the pamphlet, entitled Communist Target -- Youth. We intend to order as many copies as possible for distribution in our community.

We learned of this pamphlet from Mr. Robert Welsh of the John Birch Society of which we are very proud to be members. As members of this excellent society we know we are not just sitting still so to speak waiting for the enemy to take us unawares, but we are fighting now and we intend to continue to do so until our last breath.

As we know you are a very busy person we expect no answer to this letter, but we did want you to know we are with you 100 per-cent.

Sincerely yours,

(Mrs) [redacted]

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August 24, 1960

Miss [redacted]
[redacted]
Palos Verdes Estates, California

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Dear Miss [redacted]

The thought prompting your letter postmarked August 15, 1960, is appreciated.

It is encouraging to know that you and your friends are alert to the growing menace of communism, and in view of your interest, I am sending you some reprints along these general lines. Certainly it is vitally important that all citizens accept the responsibility of becoming fully informed as to the exact nature of the widespread undemocratic elements in our country today.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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August 9, 1960

The Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

As a member of The John Birch Society, I want to thank you for your report on the San Francisco riots in the pamphlet, "Communist Target-Youth."

Last night I saw pictures on television of these riots at a friend's home and we were all shocked and incensed.

For years we have been trying to wak e up our friends and didn't have much luck but now- they are beginning to wake up with a bang. Thanks for your wonderful work to try and save our Republic.

No reply is expected to this little note of appreciation

Sincerely,

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(Miss) [redacted]

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The Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

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Sincerely,

(Mrs) [redacted]

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Palos Verdes, Cal., Calif.

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Seattle 99, Washington

Dear Miss [redacted]:

It was certainly kind of you to write me on August 18, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

I deeply appreciate your generous comments about the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material concerning communism which may be of interest to you.

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SEATTLE 99, WASHINGTON

August 18, 1960

J. Edgar Hoover, Chief
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

As a member of the John Birch Society and as an American citizen, you have my ~~heart~~ felt thanks for your most comprehensive report on the San Francisco Communist-inspired riots. b6 b7C

None of us can be grateful enough for the remarkably outstanding job you have done for all of us for so many years in exposing Communism for the evil that it is. It is my sincere belief that if the powers that be had given an attentive ear to you, there would not now be a single Communist in any branch of our government.

No reply is necessary to this letter.

Very truly yours,

(Miss) [redacted]

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August 24, 1960

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Brigadier General William L. Lee, USAF (Retired)
Senior Vice President
American Trust Life Insurance Company
4120 Paramount Boulevard
Amarillo, Texas

Dear General:

Your letter of August 18, 1960, has been received, and it was certainly thoughtful of you to write me about my statement, "Communist Target--Youth." I want to thank you for your good wishes. In view of your concern regarding the menace of communism, I am enclosing some material pertaining to this subject which may be of interest to you.

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Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosures (3)
3-60 LEB Introduction and 17th National Convention, CP, USA
Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
Expose of Soviet Espionage

NOTE: The John Birch Society is headed by Robert Welch, a wealthy candy manufacturer of Belmont, Massachusetts. It is ostensibly an anti-communist group and by SAC letter the field has been alerted to furnish the Bureau with any information regarding its activities. In one of their publications the members were requested to write letters of congratulations to the Director regarding "Communist Target--Youth." The National Sojourners is a Masonic Club and we have furnished them speakers in the past and the Director holds an honorary membership.

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Bufile 62-22718 reflects that General Lee, while in Italy in 1946, became involved in an altercation with a representative of President Truman's staff and shortly after he was returned to the United States and reduced in rank to his permanent grade. It was indicated that he was not suitable to move in the circles which his rank demanded.

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WILLIAM L. "JERRY" LEE
BRIG. GEN. USAF (RET.)
SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT

American Trust Life Insurance Company

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A Capital Stock Company
HOME OFFICE
Wichita Falls, Texas

TELEPHONE FL6-0839
4120 PARAMOUNT BLVD.
Amarillo, Texas

18 August 1960

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have just finished reading the pamphlet: Communist Target--Youth. I would like to congratulate you on the excellent report you made on the San Francisco riots. It should be an eye opener to the American people.

I am a member of The John Birch Society and I am the 2nd National Vice President of the National Sojourners. Both organizations are after the Communists with tooth and toenail. I hope we can wake the complacent people up before it is too late.

With best wishes always in all ways, I am

Cordially yours

/s/ William L. Lee
32° K. C. C. H.

No reply is expect.

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Cordially Yours
William L. Lee
32° K.C.C.H.

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No reply is effect.

ack 8-24-60 RWE

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17 August 1960

BIRCH JOHN SOCIETY

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

I found your article "Communist Target-Youth" most informative. It is truly frightening to realize what is happening today--to our great American heritage. I myself plan to become as well informed as is possible to this great threat of Communism.

Articles such as "Cummunist Target-Youth", and also your book "Masters of Deceit", should be read by every American. Thank your for them.

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MRS [redacted]

Yours very truly,

[redacted]

DALLAS TEXAS

/s

P.S. No reply is necessary.

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Dallas, Texas

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Dear Mr. [redacted]

It was very thoughtful of your wife and you to write me on August 16 and 17, 1960, regarding my recent analysis entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

Your comments concerning this statement are indeed appreciated, and in view of your interest, I am enclosing several other articles on communism which you may like to read.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Enclosures (3)
3-1-60 LEB Introduction & 17th National Convention, CP
Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
Expose of Soviet Espionage

NOTE: Neither correspondent nor his wife is identifiable in Bufiles.

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Members of the Society were instructed in their monthly publication to write the Director these letters of congratulations.

August 16, 1960

BIRCH JOHN SOCIETY

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

I have just finished reading your pamphlet "Communist Target-Youth". It is most thought provoking and informative. I am confident that we Texans will demonstrate our patriotism by encouraging Mr. Walter and his committee to study our area, and exhibit to those who have become lackadaisical and apathetic that all is not "peaches and cream" in the Lone Star State.

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P.S. No reply is necessary.

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August 25, 1960

Mrs. [redacted]
[redacted]
Dallas 8, Texas

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

Thank you very much for your letter postmarked August 18, 1960, regarding my comments concerning the demonstration which took place recently at the hearings of the Committee on Un-American Activities of the House of Representatives in San Francisco.

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write me about this, and your expression of confidence in me is deeply appreciated. I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (3)
Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
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NOTE: Bufiles contain no references to Mrs. [redacted]

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[redacted]
Dallas 8, Texas

J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

~~I am a member~~ of the John Birch Society and an American who is concerned about the Communist threat to our country. I congratulate you on your excellent report on the San Francisco riots, which certainly should awaken all Americans to the Communism in this country.

God bless you in your fine service to our country.

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Yours truly,

[redacted]

(Mrs.) [redacted]

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August 25, 1960

Dr. [redacted]
[redacted]
New Bedford, Massachusetts

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Dear Dr. [redacted]

It was certainly kind of you to write me on August 20, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

I deeply appreciate your generous comments about the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material concerning communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Dr. [redacted] cannot be identified in Bufiles.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have been a silent admirer of your outstanding contributions to our country for many years. As a member of the John Birch Society, may I thank you for your excellent report in the House Un-American Activities Committee pamphlet "Communist Target - Youth."

Sincerely

/s/ [redacted]

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NOTE:
No reply necessary or expected.

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Members of the Society were instructed in their monthly publication to write the Director these letters of congratulations.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

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DATE 8/21/84 BY [redacted]

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have been a silent admirer of your outstanding contributions to our country for many years. As a member of the John Birch Society, may I thank you for your excellent report in the House Un-American Activities Committee pamphlet concerning Communist Target - Youth.

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Sincerely yours,

[redacted]

NOTE:
No reply necessary on my part.

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August 25, 1960

Miss [redacted]
Odessa, Texas

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DATE 5/21/84 BY SP1 [illegible]

Dear Miss [redacted]

I have received your letter postmarked August 18, 1960, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write.

It was very kind of you to comment as you did about my pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth." In view of your concern about communism, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you. In response to your request, I am also forwarding under separate cover 25 additional copies of my pamphlet.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (3)

Communist Illusion & Democratic Reality
March, 1960, LEB Introduction & 17th Convention, CP, USA
Expose of Soviet Espionage

1 - Mr. Morrell, Room 4235--USC--25 copies "Communist Target--Youth."

NOTE: Bufiles contain no information identifiable with Miss [redacted] Street address verified by Odessa telephone directory check. She indicates in her letter that she is a member of the John Birch Society and would appreciate being furnished additional copies of the Director's pamphlet to distribute to prospective members of this organization. The John Birch Society was organized by Robert Welch in December, 1958, at Indianapolis, Indiana. It is allegedly an anticommunist organization with branches over the various parts of the country. Welch has been quite

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Odessa, Texas
August 13, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I want to compliment you on writing the pamphlet entitled Communist Target--Youth. If we only had more men in our government like you we would be a lot better off. I am a member of the John Birch Society, and would like to have some extra copies of this pamphlet to pass out to some of our prospective members.

Thank you again. Keep up your wonderful work.

Sincerely,

/s/ [redacted] b6 b7C

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Odessa, Texas
August 13, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

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Dear Mr. Hoover,

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Thank you again. Keep up your wonderful work.

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Sincerely,

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August 26, 1960

Mrs. [redacted]

Loomis, California

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DATE 6/21/94 BY [redacted]

Dear Mrs. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 19, 1960, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write.

It was very kind of you to comment as you did regarding my statement, "Communist Target--Youth." In view of your concern about communism, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles indicate that we have enjoyed prior correspondence with Mrs [redacted] and there is nothing derogatory on her.

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Loomis, Calif.
Aug. 19, 1960.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,
Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Personally and as a member of the John Birch Society, I wish to thank you for the work you contributed to the Un-American Activities Committee pamphlet, entitled. COMMUNIST TARGET ** YOUTH. We have a great deal to thank you for in your continuing efforts to expose communism.

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Cordially yours,

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No answer needed, -- Thank you for what you do!

No answer needed, -- Thank you for what you do!

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Mrs. [redacted]
[redacted]
Phoenix, Arizona

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DATE 9/21/87 BY [redacted]

Dear Mrs. [redacted]

Thank you very much for your note of August 19, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write me about the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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MRS [redacted]

Phoenix, Arizona Aug. 19, 196

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Dear Mr. Hoover,

This brief note comes to congratulate you regarding your very fine report entitled Communist Target--Youth.

We are members of The John Birch Society--and sincerely want you to know how we appreciate the work you are doing.

I know that you are a very busy man - and I do not expect any acknowledgment of this note.

But would simply like to say God bless you and help you to continue on in your fine work!

Sincerely,

/s/ Mrs. [redacted]

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MRS [redacted]
PHOENIX, ARIZONA

Aug. 19, 196

Dear Mr. Hoover,
This brief note comes to Congratulate You regarding your Very fine Report entitled Communist Target.. Youth.
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MRS [redacted]
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
F.B.I Hoover Office Building
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But wanted simply like to say God bless you and help you to continue on in your fine work!

Sincerely,

Mrs. [redacted]

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August 25, 1960

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Mrs. [redacted]
Sumter, South Carolina

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DATE 8/21/84 BY SP6BYA/MLW

Dear Mrs. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 17, 1960, regarding my statement entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

It was certainly thoughtful of you to write me about this, and I want to thank you for affording me the benefit of your observations. I am enclosing some material concerning communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Sumter SC.
Aug. 17 - '60

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I am a member of a John Birch Society--
I wish to congratulate you on all of your wonderful work --
especially your pamphlet on "Communist Target--Youth"--

I have a lot of confidence in the F. B. I. and
TheHouse Com - on Un American Activities--

Sincerely--

/s/ Mrs. [redacted] b6 b7C
[redacted]
Sumter S. C.

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Juneau Alaska
Aug. 17 - '60

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I am a member of a John Birch Society — I wish to congratulate you on all of your wonderful work — especially your pamphlet on "Communist Target — Youth" —

I have a lot of confidence in the F.B.I. and the House Com - on Un-American Activities —

Sincerely —

Mrs. [redacted]

Juneau Alaska

ack 8-25-60 ltr to Mrs. [redacted]

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Mr. Tolson
Mr. Mohr
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August 25, 1960

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Mr [redacted]
Dedham, Massachusetts

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DATE 12/15/04 BY [redacted]

Dear Mr. [redacted]

I have received your card of August 16, 1960, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write.

It was very kind of you to comment as you did regarding my report, "Communist Target--Youth." In view of your concern about communism, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
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What You Can Do To Fight Communism.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover

Aug 16 '60

Dear Sir.

My congratulations to you and your staff on the excellence of your recent report, in the pamphlet, entitled, "Communist Target Youth."

I wish every family in our country would send for it and read it .

Our thanks to you and the John Birch Society for making it known to us.

Sincerely

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Washington, D. C.

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Mr. [redacted]

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J. Edgar Hoover

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August 18, 1960

Dear Mr. Hoover:

As a member of the John Birch Society, I would like to congratulate you on the excellence of your report constituting the bulk of the pamphlet, entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

I am a high school student who is deeply concerned with the success of the Communist infiltration into American schools. Your report will certainly help to get this point across to friends--friends who are quite sceptical because they themselves have been so subverted.

Again I thank you for your report--a comprehensive and well presented summation of the obvious subversion in the schools.

Sincerely,

/s/ [redacted]

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Sincerely,

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Mrs. [redacted]
Oreana, Illinois

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

It was certainly kind of you and your husband to write me on August 19, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

I deeply appreciate your generous comments about the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material concerning communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles indicate previous correspondence from Mrs. [redacted] in April, 1956, regarding the controversy over certain progressive education methods in the Argenta Community Unit District No. 1, Macon County, Illinois. Mrs. [redacted] was advised by a Special Agent of our Springfield Office that the issues in question did not come within the scope of the FBI's authority and that there was no manner in which the Bureau could help her or her group with her problem. It was her contention that the educational methods, especially relative to sex education, were conducive to juvenile delinquency. Correspondent's husband and she were identified as members of the John Birch Society. The Society was organized by Robert Welch in December, 1958, at Indianapolis, Indiana. It is

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Oreana, Illinois
August 19, 1960

Mr. J. Edger Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover;

We want to thank you for your excellent work for America and particularly for your testimony in COMMUNIST TARGET --YOUTH. We are sometimes troubled by the thought that sometime another person might be called to carry on your work and we seriously doubt that such a person is available.

If you should find yourself wondering at times whether your work is worth the effort let us assure you that we appreciate it. We saw the film of the riot against the House Un-American Activities Committee and are convinced that without the work of this Committee and the F. B. I. our nation would not exist today. It is our prayer that the Lord with bless you with strength and wisdom to carry on this work.

We are doing our best to help alert our friends but without much success. However, we will continue. We are members of The John Birch Society and believe this may help to organize our efforts.

You need not take time to answer this letter.

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Sincerely,

Mr. & Mrs. [redacted]

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August 25, 1960

Mrs. [redacted]

Midland, Texas

Dear Mrs. [redacted]

I have received the letter of August 20, 1960, from you and your husband, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write.

It was very kind of you to comment as you did regarding my report, "Communist Target--Youth." In view of your concern about communism, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Midland, Texas
August 20, 1960

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

We want to thank you for the excellent presentation which you made of the Communist inspired San Francisco youth riots against the House Un-American Activities Committee as given in the pamphlet COMMUNIST TARGET -- YOUTH. We are very proud of the FBI "Gang-Busters" and the wonderful job that they have been doing in keeping abreast of the Communist threat.

Please don't feel obligated to answer this letter. We just wanted to let you know how we felt and that we are fully behind you in your pursuit of these threats.

Respectfully,
Mr. & Mrs. [redacted]
Members, John Birch Society

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Mrs. [redacted]
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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

Thank you very much for your letter of August 17, 1960, regarding my statement, "Communist Target--Youth."

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write me about this, and in view of your interest, I am enclosing some other material on the general subject of communism.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
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3-1-60 LEB Introduction & 17th National Convention CP, USA
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Expose of Soviet Espionage

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Detroit 39, Mich
August 17, 1960

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
F B.I. Building
Washington D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I am very happy to hear of the pamphlet put out by the House Un-American Activities Committee consisting of your report on the San Francisco riots. So it can happen here also!

I am a member of the John Birch Society and since many of us will be writting you please don¡t bother to answer

Yours truly

/s/ (Mrs.) [redacted] b6 b7C

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Yours truly

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Stamford, Connecticut

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STAMFORD, CONN.

DEAR MR. HOOVER:-

I HAVE RECENTLY HAD THE PLEASURE OF READING YOUR STARTLING BUT EXCELLENT REPORT ON THE SAN FRANCISCO RIOTS, ENTITLED "COMMUNIST TARGET-YOUTH."

I AM A MEMBER OF THE JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY WHICH HAS AS ITS PURPOSE MAKING PEOPLE AWARE OF THE COMMUNIST CONSPIRACY AND TAKING POSITIVE ACTION TO COMBAT IT.

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WITH FACTUAL DATA SUCH AS YOUR REPORT BASED ON THE H.C.U.A. HEARINGS, MUCH CAN BE DONE. MY SINGLE COPY HAS BEEN CIRCULATED WIDELY, WITH GRATIFYING RESULTS. I INTEND TO PROCURE ADDITIONAL COPIES FOR CIRCULATION.

CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR EXCELLENT WORK. I DO NOT EXPECT AN ANSWER TO THIS LETTER, BUT JUST WANT TO ACKNOWLEDGE YOUR FINE REPORT.

SINCERELY,

/s/ [redacted]

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Mrs. [redacted]
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Morristown, New Jersey

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 17, 1960, regarding my statement entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

It was certainly thoughtful of you to write me about this, and I want to thank you and your husband for your support. I am enclosing some material concerning communism which may be of interest to you.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no derogatory information re Mrs. [redacted] and we have enjoyed limited cordial correspondence with her.

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Aug 17th

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Your report on "Communist Target--Youth" is excellent & I am ordering 6 copies through The House Office Building.

My husband & I will be forever grateful to you for your courageous fight against Communism. Don't let the good-intentioned people who want to give away our freedoms divert you as I know it won't. Please don't answer this letter but we just want you to know how grateful we are:

Sincerely yours,

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Mrs. [redacted]

P. S. We are members of the "John Birch Society."

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Sincerely yours,

Mrs. [redacted]

P.S. We are members of the
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August 25, 1960

Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
St. Petersburg 8, Florida

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DATE 9/21/84 BY SP6 [illegible]

Dear Mr. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 18, 1960, regarding my statement entitled "Communist Target--Youth," and analysis of the 17th Annual Convention of the Communist Party, USA.

It was certainly thoughtful of you to write me about this, and I want to thank you for affording me the benefit of your observations. I am enclosing some material concerning communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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August 18, 1960

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover, Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:-

May I heartily commend you on your statement made to the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, released on January 17th, 1960; also for the data you supplied to House Committee on Un-American Activities covered by its pamphlet "Comminist Target---Youth", published July 18th, 1960.

It is inconceivable that facts such as these can be published year after year and completely ignored by most of Congress and most of the public. I am a member of the John Birch Society to do what little it can to awaken people generally and to encourage those leading the fight, such as you.

Would there were a dozen J. Edgar Hoovrs!

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Respectfully,

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Mr. [redacted]
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Houston 5, Texas

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Dear Mr. [redacted]

It was thoughtful of you to write me on August 16, 1960, and I am glad to know that you are alerted to the widespread subversive elements in our society today.

In view of your interest, I am enclosing publications on the general subject of communism.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Director

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What You can do to Fight Communism

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[redacted]
Houston, 5, Texas
August 16, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I wish to tell you how much I appreciate your work in exposing the San Francisco student riots. Please continue to keep the American public advised on Communism in the United States, in order that our citizens may realize its danger to our country.

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I request that no answer to this letter be made because of the burden under which your office is working.

Very truly yours,

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August 25, 1960

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Dear Mr. [redacted]

Your letter of August 19, 1960, has been received.

It was kind of you to comment so favorably concerning my remarks in "Communist Target--Youth," and certainly all citizens should be fully informed in these critical times as to the exact nature of the communist menace. Enclosed are additional publications along such lines which you may find of interest.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Enclosures (5)

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Introduction March, 1960, LEB, & 17th National Convention CP, USA.
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August 19, 1960

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

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Very truly yours

/s/ [redacted]

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Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
Washington, D. C.

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Miss [redacted]
Austin, Texas

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Dear Miss [redacted]

Your letter of August 18, 1960, has been received, and your generous and most complimentary remarks are sincerely appreciated.

It was thoughtful of you to bring your observations regarding the menace of communism to my attention. In view of your concern, I am enclosing some material dealing with this subject which may be of interest to you. Included is a copy of "Communist Target--Youth" in the event you have not read the pamphlet.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (4)
March, 1960, LEB Introduction & 17th Convention CP, USA
Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
Expose of Soviet Espionage
Communist Target--Youth

NOTE: Correspondent may be referring to the Americans for Democratic Action by her reference to A. D. A.'s. The film, "Operation Abolition," is the one regarding the House Committee on Un-American Activities riots in San Francisco. No record Bufiles identifiable with the correspondent.

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Members of the Society were instructed in their monthly publication to write the Director these letters of congratulations.

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Austin, Texas
August 18, 1960

J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I would like for you to know how sincerely we appreciate your efforts. How I wish a man of your abilities and convictions was in the office of President today. And how I wish that that office strived as hard at trying to do the right thing as your's does.

As a student at the University of Texas, and a member of the John Birch Society chapter here, I work to keep myself informed, and to inform others of the threats against our great nation. Last meeting we saw the film, Operation Abolition. I feel sure it will have the desired effects on the students this fall. I will do everything in my power to get as many of them to see it as possible.

Several of us have been working most of the summer to create a group effective enough to counteract the A.D.A.'s which are quite strong here. Our avowed purpose is to re-educate the average student. We are endeavoring to show him that there is nothing vulgar and bourgeoise about patriotism, and that our country became the greatest nation on earth under its present constitution without any sweeping "liberal" reforms or world government.

My best wishes and sincere thanks.

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Very truly yours,

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August 25, 1960

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Mrs. [redacted]
[redacted]
Midland, Texas

Dear Mrs. [redacted]

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 9/21/94 BY [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 18, 1960, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write.

It was very kind of you to comment as you did about my statement, "Communist Target--Youth." I want to thank you for your expression of confidence in the FBI and me.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no references to Mrs. [redacted] In view of the difficulties that we experienced earlier this year with the Constitution Party of Texas with regard to their persistent efforts to have the Director run for the presidency on their ticket, no response is being given to her remarks concerning it. For the same reason our reply is being addressed to her apparent home address as opposed to the Constitution Party return address which is stamped on the envelope.

She points out in her letter that she is a member of The John (Birch) Society. The John Birch Society is allegedly an anticommunist organization with branches over the various parts of the country. Our field offices have been alerted to watch its activities inasmuch as its head, Robert Welch, indicated at one time that he thought a group having the appearance of a front organization might be effective in attracting true subversives.

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Midland, Tex.
Aug. 18, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
F. B. I.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Congratulations on the fine work that you are doing. The pamphlet entitled COMMUNIST TARGET -- YOUTH is a fine report. I wish that it were possible for every citizen in this country to read it carefully.

Because I know that you are an extremely busy and important person, I do not expect an answer to this letter.

I am doing all that I can to help save our beloved country, and I know that you are doing the same. I am an active member of The John Society.

Looks like we just might have a new face in Congress from our 16th district. Many may be greatly surprised that we in the Constitution Party of TEXAS mean business. Our candidate will be another Bruce Alger running on a ticket that leaves no one wondering what our platform is.

Keep up the excellent work. My prayers are with you.

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. [redacted] b6 b7C

Mrs. [redacted]

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 8/25/60

FROM : SAC, EL PASO (100-5739)

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 8/31/11 BY [redacted]

SUBJECT: JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY
MIDLAND, TEXAS
INFORMATION CONCERNING (INTERNAL SECURITY)

For information of the Bureau, on August 18, 1960, Mrs. [redacted], Midland, Texas, who has requested that her name remain strictly confidential, advised SA ROY C. DAHL that she had attended a meeting of a chapter of the John Birch Society which was being organized in Midland, Texas. She said that the meeting was held in [redacted], Midland, Texas, and was attended by approximately 20 people. She said that Mr. [redacted]. She said the program opened with prayer, and after that a discussion was had concerning MAT CVETIC and his book. The Blue Book of the John Birch Society was offered for sale as was the book of MAT CVETIC. She said that there was a discussion of the DAN SMOOT reports, and a collection was taken up so that the chapter could subscribe to these reports. She said that the program proceeded by the playing of a tape made by Mr. EHRENS, Co-Chairman of the House Un-American Activities Committee, which tape was on the subject of the growth of Communism, and took about one and one-half hours. She said there was some discussion about the growth of Communism in this and other countries, and a pamphlet from Human Events entitled "Growth-The Latest Socialistic Pitch" which was published July 14, 1960, was passed out to each person.

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Mrs. [redacted] Texas, and was interested in the fight against Communism.

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As per Bureau instructions, no investigation is being conducted in this matter.

The City Directory of Midland, Texas, lists Mrs. [redacted] as [redacted], Midland, Texas. His wife is [redacted] Mrs. [redacted] said that meetings are to be held on a weekly basis and as far as she knew, the meetings would be held in [redacted].

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Mr. [redacted]
Box [redacted]
Midland, Texas

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ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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DATE [redacted] BY [redacted]

Dear Mr. [redacted]

It was certainly kind of you and your wife to write me on August 17, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth." I want to take this opportunity to thank you for affording me the benefit of your observations concerning it.

In response to your request, I am forwarding, under separate cover, additional copies of my pamphlet along with some other material on the subject of communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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10 copies of Communist Target--Youth
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NOTE: Bufiles contain no references to Mr. or Mrs. [redacted]

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Members of the Society were instructed in their monthly publication to write the Director these letters of congratulations.

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MIDLAND, TEXAS

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August 17, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

We recently saw and read your report on the San Francisco riots, Communist Target - Youth, as condensed by U. S. and World News from the pamphlet published by the House Committee on Un-American Activities. It is excellent and just the type of thing we need to get before the public to wake people up.

We are members of the John Birch Society and admire the work you and your department are doing. We do not expect an answer to this letter but if you have a few extra copies of your original report as printed by the Government Printing Office we would appreciate receiving them.

Respectfully,

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Mr.
Mrs. [redacted]

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August 24, 1960

Mr. [redacted]
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DATE 8/21/84 BY [redacted]

Dear Mr [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 15, 1960, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write.

It was very kind of you to comment as you did regarding my report, "Communist Target - Youth." In view of your concern about communism, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you.

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Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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August 15, 1960

J. Edgar Hoover,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

As a member of The John Birch Society, I wish to add my congratulations on the excellence of your report which made up the bulk of the phamplet published by the House of Unamerican Activities Committee entitled "Communist Target - Youth".

Please do not take time to reply to my letter, but accept my congratulations and sincere desire that you will continue the good work for the benefit of my children and all other children throughout America.

Sincerely,

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Mr. [redacted]
Box [redacted]
Pecos, Texas

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

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It was certainly kind of you and your husband to write me on August 17, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

I deeply appreciate your generous comments about the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material concerning communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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August 17, 1960
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Pecos, Texas

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Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigations
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

As members of the John Birch Society and a foe of Communism we wish to congratulate and thank you for your excellent report on the communist inspired San Francisco riots in the pamplet entitled "Communist Target - Youth".

No acknowledgement of this letter is necessary, we merely want to express our appreciation for your vast efforts in exposing the encroachment of international communism upon us and informing us of their crimes.

Yours very truly,

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/s/ Mr. & Mrs. [redacted]

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
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Mr. & Mrs. [redacted]

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Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
Los Angeles 5, California

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J. Edgar Hoover

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August 16, 1960

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Congratulations on the excellence of your report which constituted the bulk of the House Un-American Activities Committee pamphlet entitled Communist Target - Youth. As a member of The John Birch Society I have been impressed time and time again by the zeal of your fight against the Communist menace.

No reply is expected to this note.

Respectfully yours,

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Miss [redacted]
San Marino, California

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DATE 9/21/94 BY [illegible]

Dear Miss [redacted]

I have received your card postmarked August 20, 1960, concerning my recent report, "Communist Target--Youth."

The thought prompting you to write is appreciated, and I want to thank you for your generous comments regarding the pamphlet. Enclosed is some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no references to Miss [redacted] In an attempt to clarify her address, a check of the telephone directory revealed that [redacted] is the address of [redacted] Inasmuch as [redacted] relationship to him is unknown, the salutation of "Miss" is deemed appropriate.

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Sincerely,

/s/ [redacted]

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JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY

EXP-PRO
AUG 22 1960

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Santa Barbara, California

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]
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Thank you very much for your letter of August 15, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write me about the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Nothing in Bufiles re correspondent.

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Miss Gandy

[redacted]

Santa Barbara, Calif.

August 15, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,
Office of F.B. I.,
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Sir:

As a member of the John Birch Society, I wish to express my appreciation and congratulation for your excellent report on the recent San Francisco student riots.

Your courageous work has certainly lessened the spread of thier poisonous propaganda and has awakened some of our people to the evil danger that we face.

I know that your office must be deluged by mail, therefore I do not expect a reply to this letter.

Sincerely

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Mrs. [redacted]
Post Office Box [redacted]
Burlington, Washington

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

It was certainly kind of you to write me on August 16, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

I deeply appreciate your generous comments about the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring. Enclosed is some material concerning communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Expose of Soviet Espionage

NOTE: Bufiles contain no references to Mrs. [redacted] On August 17, 1960, the Director wrote to Mrs. [redacted] also of Burlington, Washington, in response to a similar letter. Mrs. [redacted] indicates in her letter that she is a member of the John Birch Society.

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P. O. Box [redacted]
Burlington, Wash.
Aug 16, 1960

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Dear Mr. Hoover,

I am a member of the "John Birch Society," founded by Robert Welch Jr. One of our assignments this month is directed to you to congratulate you on your report to the, House Committee on Un-American Activities." (Communist Target--Youth)

I was fortunate to have recieved three hundred copies of this report through our wonderful Congressman, Jack Westland. I am turning these over to the John Birch Chapter in this area. Our project is too try to obtain enough copies for each high school student in this area, mainly, Burlington, Sedro Wooley and Mount Vernon, Washington

We have also ordered the 16m. m. film taken at the San Francisco student riot and hope to show it in the schools. We can raise the money to pay for the film, but perhaps we will not be able to finance the distrituition of the pamphlet, but we are going to try. If you, Mr. Hoover can give us any help or advise it would be deeply appreciated.

We of this chapter are so fortunate to have as our chapter leader the Principal of Burlington High School, Mr. Rex Willard. He is a dedicated man in every sense of the word.

I sometimes wonder if we, who care so much, about are beloved country, are too late. In any case we must continue to work for Christian ideals and the continued freedom of this beloved country.

You, Mr. Hoover, supply us all with the inspired will to "do or die" for these ideals, and no attack upon you or the F. B. I. will ever change us, and I know I write this sentiment as an expression of all John Birch Society members. Thank you

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Sincerely,

/s/ Mrs. [redacted]

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Mrs. [redacted]

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Mrs. [redacted]
[redacted]
South Dartmouth, Massachusetts

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DATE 8/21/74 BY [redacted]

Dear Mrs. [redacted]

Thank you very much for your letter of August 22, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write me about the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence in me is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no references to Mrs. [redacted]

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TRUE COPY

Aug. 22nd. 1960

Dear Mr. Hoover:

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Very sincerely yours

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/s/ [redacted]

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Mr. [redacted]
Texas Legal Division
Cities Service Oil Company
Leggett Building
Midland, Texas

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Dear Mr. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 17, 1960, regarding my report entitled "Communist Target--Youth" and the article which appeared in the December 22, 1959, issue of the "Texas Bar Journal."

I wish to take this opportunity to express my appreciation for your very generous comments about the two statements, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have several copies of one of your latest pamphets, "Communist Target-Youth", and I think it is excellent. I have given most of my copies away and urged others to write for more as well as other publications you have out.

Your article which the Texas Bar published was also top notch. You are to be commended for your fine endeavors in keeping the American people alerted to the dangers of the communist conspiracy in this country. I am doing my level best to see that these publications reach the right people - those who will also go out and publicize the danger of the conspiracy to the United States.

I am a Chapter Leader of the John Birch Society and this is the most effective organization that I have seen or belonged to. It is really catching hold in West Texas (and other places I am sure) and we intend to back you up every step of the way. Also, we intend to first educate our members and then aid them in taking effective action under the direction of our very able President, Robert Welch.

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Keep up the good work, it surely is appreciated by all freedom-loving Americans.

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Sincerely yours,

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August 26, 1960

Mrs. [redacted]
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Bellaire, Texas

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

Thank you very much for your letter of August 21, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write me about the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence in me is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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TRUE COPY

Aug. 21, 1960

Dear Mr. Hoover,

As an individual American and as a member of The John Birch Society, I wish to thank you for your work in the interests of our country's freedom. In particular, I wish to congratulate you on the release of the phamphlet, Communist Target--Youth, Hoping that it will do much to enlighten and awaken our countrymen.

Sincerely,

/s/ Mrs. [redacted]

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

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Mr. [redacted]
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Dallas 1, Texas

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DATE 12/24 BY [redacted]

Dear Mr. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 18, 1960, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write.

It was very kind of you to comment as you did regarding my report, "Communist Target--Youth." In view of your concern about communism, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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DALLAS 1, TEXAS
August 18, 1960

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Mr. Parsons
Mr. Belmont
Mr. Callahan
Mr. DeLoach
Mr. Malone
Mr. McGuire
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Tamm
Mr. Trotter
Mr. W.C.Sullivan
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I am writing you as a member of the John Birch Society and as an interested American Citizen to compliment you on the pamplet printed by the United States Government printing office and published by the House Committe on Un-American Activities. Your report was excellent and it is wonderful to know we have a man such as you in Washington, and in a position of authority. I do not expect a reply to this letter but wish to write you and thank you for all of your wonderful work.

Very truly yours,

[redacted]

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August 25, 1960

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Mrs. [redacted]
[redacted]
Lakewood 11, California

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

Your letter dated August 18, 1960, has been received, and the interest which prompted your communication is indeed appreciated.

While I would like to be of assistance to you, the FBI is strictly an investigative agency of the Federal Government and does not furnish evaluations or comments concerning the character or integrity of any individual, publication or organization. Furthermore, a regulation of the Department of Justice prohibits the disclosure of information in our files.

I am sure you will understand the necessity for this policy and will not infer that we do or do not have in our files the information you have requested.

Sincerely yours,

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John Edgar Hoover
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1 - Los Angeles (Enclosure) (See Note, Page Two)

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Mrs. [redacted]

ATTENTION: SAC, LOS ANGELES

Enclosed is a copy of correspondent's communication. Bufiles contain no identifiable data concerning the correspondent. Adolph Menjou and Tom Duggan, mentioned by the correspondent, are well known to your office.

The John Birch Society and its founder, Robert Welch, have not been the subjects of an investigation by the Bureau. Welch and his organization have been very critical of President Eisenhower and his administration. Information concerning this individual and his organization is contained in SAC Letter 60-5. (62-104401)

NOTE ON YELLOW:

Correspondent states that Adolph Menjou, on the Tom Duggan television show, discussed politics and communism and urged the listeners to join the John Birch Society. She has written to this society, and is interested in joining, but desires to check on the organization before doing so. She states she would appreciate knowing if it is all it is supposed to be. b7D

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Duggan is a television personality in Los Angeles, and is a controversial figure. He received unfavorable publicity several years ago when his wife shot at him for going out with another woman. (94-45641)

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August 18, 1960

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Lakewood 11, Calif.

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J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

In re: The John Birch Society
Belmont 78, Mass.

Recently I saw Mr. Adolph Menjou on the Tom Duggan television show and he made many statements regarding politics and communism in Hollywood, most of which I agreed with. He is also a strong supporter of Senator Barry Goldwater, whom I also greatly admire. Mr. Menjou said anyone wishing to support the Constitution & help rid our country of Communists, etc., should join the John Birch Society, & gave the address.

The next day Tom Duggan was suspended from his TV program, supposedly because of an anti-Catholic joke his wife had previously told on his program. I noticed in the Times a few days later that the American Legion (composed of 200 members) was calling on the station manager to determine the real reason of his suspension, & then the next day, the paper stated that Tom Duggan had been re-instated & would appear again at his usual time.

I wrote the John Birch Society for literature and am interested in joining. However, my husband says that now days so many patriotic sounding organizations are just Communist fronts and for me not to join anything without checking with you first. So I would certainly appreciate knowing if it is all that it's supposed to be. I think everything possible should be done to awaken people to the Communist threat and I want to help support an organization such as this one, if it is bona fide.

I will certainly appreciate hearing from you as soon as possible. Many thanks in advance.

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/s/ [redacted]

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Sincerely

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August 25, 1960

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Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
Santa Barbara, California

Dear Mr. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 18, 1960, regarding my statement entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

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Sincerely yours,

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Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D. C.

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Sincerely yours,

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Santa Barbara, California

No reply to this letter is expected.

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Santa Barbara, Calif.
August 18, 1960

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D. C.

HR 1-1

Dear Mr. Hoover: John Birch Society

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August 26, 1960

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Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. [redacted]

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It was indeed thoughtful of you to write me about the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Enclosures (5)
Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
God and Country or Communism?
17th National Convention CP, USA, & Introduction 3/60, LEB
What You Can Do To Fight Communism
Expose of Soviet Espionage

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles. Surname verified by telephone directory check.

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Members of the Society were instructed in their monthly publication to write the Director these letters of congratulations.

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Aug 16, 1960

Mr J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr Hoover.

I know you are a very busy man these days. Unfortunately so, as the busier you are means there is more crime and more subversion to worry about- you are and have done a magnificent job and I pray to God for all the help you can get. Please keep up the good work.

I would like to commend you also on the excellence of your report that was the bulk of the recent bulletin "Communist Target Youth" on the San Francisco riots. I hope the great conservative patriotic Americans will wake up before it is too late.- We in the John Birch Society are trying to do our little bit in awakening the people and ourselves along with it.

God Bless You

/s/ [redacted]

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~~Mr~~ J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

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Miss [redacted]
[redacted]
Pittsburgh 16, Pennsylvania

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Dear Miss [redacted]

Your letter dated August 20, 1960, has been received, and it is a pleasure to forward to you, under separate cover, 100 copies of "Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality," as you requested. You should receive them in the near future.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Pittsburgh 16 Pa.

August 20, 1960

Mr J. Edgar Hoover
FBI
Washington, D.C.

Re: Phamphlet entitled:
"Communist Illusion and
Democratic Reality"
by J. Edgar Hoover

Dear Sir:

Thank you for recent literature sent to me, which included a copy of the above phamphlet. This has no form number; is stapled-22 pages; is "adopted from an article by Mr Hoover which was prepared for Members of the National Strategic Seminar held in Wash., D.C. during July, 1959."

If it is possible, I would like to request 50 to 100 copies of this phamphlet for distribution to a Mailing list of interested adults. I would also like to give some to a friend of Mine who teaches in a local neighborhood high school.

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Very truly yours

/s/ [redacted]

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Pittsburgh [redacted] Pa.

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August 20, 1960.

Mr J. Edgar Hoover
FBI
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Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
Dallas, Texas

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DATE 8/24/04 BY [redacted]

Dear Mr. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 23, 1960, regarding the John Birch Society.

Although I deeply appreciate your interest in writing, information in FBI files is confidential and available for official use only. For this reason, I am unable to help you, and I hope that you will not infer in this connection either that we do or do not have in our files material relating to this organization.

It was very kind of you to comment as you did about my statement, "Communist Target--Youth." In view of your concern regarding communism, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (3)

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NOTE: Bufiles contain nothing derogatory with respect to [redacted] with whom we have had no previous correspondence. He

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Letter to Mr. [redacted]

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wanted to know whether the John Birch Society is a communist front organization. The Society was organized by Robert Welch in December, 1958, at Indianapolis, Indiana. It is allegedly an anticommunist organization with branches over various parts of the country. Welch has been quite critical of President Eisenhower and his Administration. SAC letter 60-5 calls this organization to the attention of the field and instructs them that any information on their activities should be furnished to the Bureau.

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Mr. Ingram
Miss Gandy

August 23, 1960

AIRMAIL SPECIAL DELIVERY

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

In the past several weeks, I have become aware of "The John Birch Society" and desire to join this organization. Could you please inform me, if this Society is above board, and not a Communist front organization.

I would also take this opportunity to commend you and your organization for the fine dedicated work that you are doing to combat communism. I read with great interest your report on communism published last month by the Senate Internal Security Sub-Committee.

Thanking you in advance, I remain,

Yours very truly,

[redacted]

SGS/mh

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Dallas, Texas

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August 29, 1960

EX-102

Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
Los Angeles 16, California

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Dear Mr. [redacted]

I have received your recent letter and your interest in communicating with me is appreciated.

While I would like to be of assistance to you, I must advise that the FBI, as strictly an investigative agency of the Federal Government, does not furnish evaluations or comments concerning the character or integrity of any individual, organization or publication. I am unable, therefore, to comply with your request for information.

Sincerely yours,

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John Edgar Hoover
Director

1 - Los Angeles

ATTENTION: SAC, LOS ANGELES

Correspondent stated he was interested in joining the John Birch Society, Belmont, Massachusetts, and requested to be advised if it is in any way subversive.

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Mr. [redacted]

NOTE TO SAC, LOS ANGELES, CONTINUED:

Bufiles contain no identifiable information concerning the correspondent.

The John Birch Society and its founder, Robert Welch, have not been the subjects of an investigation by the Bureau. Welch and his organization have been very critical of President Eisenhower and his administration. Information concerning this individual and his organization is contained in SAC Letter 60-5. (62-104401)

NOTE ON YELLOW:

Correspondent's letter is not dated and the postmark is not legible. Therefore, we are making reference only to correspondent's recent communication.

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Los Angeles 16 Calif.

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Dept. of Justice
Fed. Bureau of Investigation
Washington D.C.

To whom it may concern:—

I am interested in joining
the John Birch Society Belmont 78
Mass.

Would you please inform
me if this Society is in any
way subversive.

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Your reply will be
appreciated

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Respectfully

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August 30, 1960

[redacted]
Green Bay, Wisconsin

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Dear Mr. [redacted]:

I have received your letter of August 23, 1960, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write.

It was kind of you to comment as you did about my statement, "Communist Target--Youth." In view of your concern regarding communism, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Letter to Mr. [redacted]

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Members of the Society were instructed in their monthly publication to write the Director these letters of congratulations.

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[redacted]
Green Bay, Wis.
August 23, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover.

This is just a short note to express my appreciation for your efforts in helping the House Committee on Un-American Activities to produce the pamphlet "Communist Target--Youth". I feel very deeply about this gathering nightmare of Communism and appreciate your efforts very much.

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It is not necessary for you to answer this letter. I frequently write letters to people on the subject of the Communist Conspiracy. I am also a member of the John Birch Society.

Sincerely

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Green Bay, Wis.
August 23, 1960

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August 30, 1960

Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
Midland, Texas

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Dear Mr. [redacted]

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Your letter of August 22, 1960, has been received, and it was certainly thoughtful of you to comment on my statement "Communist Target--Youth." I wish to thank you for your generous remarks. In view of your concern regarding communism, I am enclosing some material pertaining to this subject which may be of interest to you.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Midland, Texas
August 22, 1960

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Mr. Ingram
Miss Gandy

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

As a young man not too far removed from the college campus, I congratulate you and your bureau on the excellence of your report entitled COMMUNIST TARGET--YOUTH.

Only through the dedicated efforts of men like yourself have I become aware of the seriousness of the Communist threat from within.

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No answer to this letter is expected.

Respectfully yours,

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The John Birch Society

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August 30, 1960

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Mrs. [redacted]
[redacted]
Chicago 46, Illinois

MRS [redacted]

Dear Mrs [redacted]

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Mrs [redacted]
Chicago 46, Illinois

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August 22, 1960

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
United States Department of Justice
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washinoton 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

May I extend to you my sincere congratulations for your outstanding report on "Communism Target-Youth."

There are many of us who are fully aware of the fortitude you have shown and the discouragements you have met in your ceaseless efforts to make known the closeness of the Communist peril.

Those of us who are members of the John Birch Society are thankful to Almighty God that we have men of your calibre, who have the moral conviction to stand for what is right.

Please do not feel obligated to reply, rather kindly accept my heartfelt gratitude.

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Sincerely yours,

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Mrs. [redacted]
San Marino, California

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DATE 6/21/84 BY [redacted]

Dear Mrs. [redacted]

Your letter postmarked August 23, 1960, has been received, and I am glad you enjoyed reading the material previously sent you.

Although I would like to be of service, I wish to advise that the function of this Bureau as strictly a fact-gathering agency does not extend to furnishing evaluations or drawing conclusions as to the character or integrity of any individual, organization or publication. I regret I am unable to help you, and I hope that you will not infer in this connection either that we do or that we do not have information in our files relating to the subjects of your inquiry.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NOTE: A letter postmarked 8-10-60 was received from Mrs. [redacted] in which she commented favorably concerning "Communist Target--Youth." Bulet 8-18-60 thanked her for her observations and forwarded general publications on the subject of communism. She did not mention at that time that she was affiliated with the John Birch Society. This organization is allegedly an anticommunist group with branches throughout the country. At one time in the past, its head, Robert Welch, indicated that he believed forming a group which resembled a front organization might be a clever manner in which to attract true subversives.

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[redacted] b6 b7C San Marino 9, California

Dear Mr. Hoover -

Thank you so much for your answer to my last letter and for the literature you sent to me. I am writing again about a matter that has begun to concern me greatly just recently.

Several months ago I joined the John Birch Society feeling I wanted to do my part in helping to fight communism in this country. Membership in this society has been a good thing for me. I have read more and have become much better informed about what is going on in the world. While I think what he is trying to do is basically good, I am beginning to wonder about Robert Welch. He seems to be a little too much of a fanatic to suit me. I recently read an article by Jack Mabley in the Chicago Daily News which quoted Welch as claiming in a letter that Eisenhower and most of his aides - John Foster and Allen Dulles, Earl Warren, Neil McElroy - are communists. Either this is a mis-quote (which I don't believe a Columnist, no matter how liberal, would do) - or I have mis-read the article - or Welch is a complete "crackpot." I find myself wondering which side the communists are on. On of their aims certainly is to undermine the confidence of the American people in their government - and Welch seems to be doing an awful lost of just that.

I would appreciate very much having the F. B. I.'s opinion of Robert Welch and his John Birch Society.

This is a difficult battle we are engaged in. The enemy takes so many different forms - I do want to be sure we are following the right leader -

Thank you for your help and interest.

/s/ [redacted] b6 b7C

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EX 104

August 31, 1960

Mr [redacted]
[redacted]
Leesburg, Florida

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Dear Mr [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 23, 1960, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write.

It was kind of you to comment as you did regarding my recent reports, "Communist Target--Youth" and "An Analysis of the 17th National Convention of the Communist Party, USA." Your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring.

In response to your request, I am forwarding, under separate cover, several copies of the material you requested with the exception of "A Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications." For copies of this reprint, may I suggest that you write to the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Corner of North Capitol and H Streets, Northwest, Washington 25, D. C. These will be made available to you by that office at a cost of thirty-five cents each. You may also be interested in obtaining the list of subversive organizations as prepared by the Attorney General pursuant to Executive Order 10450. Copies of this listing may be obtained by writing to the Subversive Organizations Section, Internal Security Division, U. S. Department of Justice, Washington 25, D. C.

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Sincerely yours,
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12 copies each of:
Communist Target--Youth
Analysis of 17th National Convention of CP, USA
Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
God and Country or Communism
Expose of Soviet Espionage

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NOTE: No record can be ascertained in Bufiles for Mr. [redacted]. He points out in his letter that he and his wife are members of the John Birch Society. The John Birch Society was formed by Robert Welch in Indianapolis, Indiana, in December, 1958. It is allegedly an anticommunist organization with branches over various parts of the country. Welch, however, has been very critical of President Eisenhower and his administration. SAC letter 60-5 brings this organization to the attention of the field and instructs them to forward any information regarding their activities to the Bureau.

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Leesburg R. 3, Florida

August 23, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director of F. B. I.
Washington D. C.

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DATE 3/21/24 BY [redacted]

Dear Sir:

I have just read your report on "Communist Target - Youth" and your March 1, 1960 reprint from the F.B.I. Law Enforcement Bulletin for March.

I can only thank you from the bottom of my heart for the powerful job you are doing in exposing the communists and their workings.

Please be assured that you have the wholehearted support of me and my family in the tremendous work you are doing for our country. My wife and I have recently joined the John Birch Society headed by Robert Welch of Belmont, Mass. whose purpose it is to help alert fellow Americans to the insidious dangers of socialism & communism right here in the U.S.A.

May I request the following: about a dozen of each if possible) 1. the latest list of subversive organizations in the U.S.A. 2. Communist Target - Youth 3. Analysis of the 17th National Convention of the Communist Party, U.S.A. 4. Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality Dec '59 5. God & Country or Communism - Nov. '57 6. Expose of Soviet Espionage May 1960

Please advise me what the charges are for this material. As the [redacted] I am certain that we can get this material read by many of our local people. Incidentally too, many of our local Farm Bureau leaders will be helpful in this area. b6 b7C

God bless you and the whole F.B.I. it's one of the few Federal organizations left that I can respect.

Sincerely,

/s/ [redacted] b6 b7C

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Mr. and Mrs. [redacted]

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Leesburg R. 3, Florida

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover August 23, 1960
Director of F.B.I.
Washington D.C.

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Please be assured that you have the wholehearted support of Ireland

John Birch Society

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Mr. and Mrs. [redacted]

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Leesburg R. 3, Florida

Please advise me what the charges are for this material. As the President of the Leesburg, Florida Kiwanis Club I am certain that we can get this material read by many of our local people. Incidentally too, many of our local Farm Bureau leaders will be helpful in this area.

God bless you and the whole F.B.I. it's one of the few Federal organizations left that I can respect.

Sincerely,

[redacted]

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August 30, 1960

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Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
Shreveport, Louisiana

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Dear Mr [redacted]

Thank you very much for your letter of August 22, 1960, regarding my recent report entitled "Communist Target--Youth."

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write me about the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no references to Mr. [redacted] His name was clarified in the Shreveport telephone directory.

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Members of the Society were instructed in their monthly publication to write the Director these letters of congratulations.

TRUE COPY

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Shreveport, La.
Aug 22, 1960

J. Edgar Hoover
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir,

As a member of the John Birch society and a American who loves his country I would like to congratulate you on your report of "Communist Target--Youth."

Please do not feel obligated to answer this letter but use up as much time as you can to fight the greatest internal menace which faces this beloved country. Keep up your good work and my will and my prayers will be with you.

Yours truly,

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/s/ [redacted]

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J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau Investigation
Washington, D. C.

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J. Edgar Hoover
Washington D.C.

[redacted]
Shreveport, La.
Aug 22, 1960

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Yours Truly,

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Mr. [redacted]
Mesa, Arizona

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Dear Mr [redacted]

Your letter postmarked August 24, 1960, regarding my report on the demonstration which took place recently at the hearings of the Committee on Un-American Activities of the House of Representatives in San Francisco, has been received.

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write me, and I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your kind comments concerning the FBI. I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no derogatory information regarding [redacted] and we have had no previous correspondence with him.

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Members of the Society were instructed in their monthly publication to write the Director these letters of congratulations.

[redacted]
Mesa, Arizona
August 20, 1960

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Mr. Belmont
Mr. Callahan
Mr. DeLoach
Mr. Malone
Mr. McGuire
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Tamm
Mr. Trotter
Mr. W.C.Sullivan
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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

Please accept this expression of gratitude for the many years of devoted, unflinching duty to the preservation of our freedom.

Without your efforts, we could not presently be engaged in our battle for America.

This letter is prompted by the very lucid account of the "student" riots which occurred at the San Francisco hearings of the House Unamerican Activities Committee.

This report, along with more quiet demonstrations of communist infiltration have prompted me to join with the John Birch Society.

If my all too inadequate abilities are ever needed, I will do whatever is asked.

No acknowledgement is required.

With sincere best wishes for you and your compatriots,
I remain,

Yours very truly,

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CORRESPONDENCE

August 20, 1960

Dear Sir:

Your excellent account entitled Communists Target Youth--, dealt a real blow to many complacent people. So many are waking up to the fact that a real crisis is here. Anytime any of your material is available it is passed around many times. Even the complacent preachers cannot deny your findings, which we find is a real measuring stick, as they continue to discount any reliable source by inferring it is taken out of context ect. Due to the John Birch Society and other groups the ranks of loyal Americans are swelling. As a mother of five children, I must continue to expose and fight this in any way I can. I shall be looking forward to much more of your material.

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Sincerely yours,

[redacted]

Blair, [illegible], Texas

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Bellaire 101, Texas

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Dear Mr. [redacted]:

I have received your letter of August 23, as well as your wife's of August 20, 1960. The thought which prompted the two of you to write me is deeply appreciated.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for the kind remarks you made regarding my pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth," and your expressions of confidence are indeed reassuring. I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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BELLAIRE 101, TEXAS

August 23, 1960

Director Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

As an American citizen and as a member of the John Birch Society I should like to take up some of your time in congraduating you on your recent report covering the San Francisco riots. b6 b7C

Let this inform you that there are many, many loyal Americans standing behind you all the way and will give all and any kind of support that may be required to help in continuing your work to reveal what lies in some of these activities.

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P.S. I should like to have a copy of this report mentioned above should there sufficient copies to mail another.

J.D.B.

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Mr. [redacted]
Fidelity Union Life Insurance Company
Box 2580
Dallas 21, Texas

Dear Mr. [redacted]

Your letter dated August 23, 1960, has been received, and your interest in communicating with me is indeed appreciated.

In response to your inquiry, I must advise that the FBI as an investigative agency does not furnish evaluations or comments concerning the character or integrity of any individual, publication or organization. I am precluded, therefore, from commenting upon the organization you mentioned.

I am also unable to refer you to another Government agency or source which could furnish the information you desire.

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Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Mr. [redacted]

ATTENTION: SAC, DALLAS

The correspondent advised that the John Birch Society has been recommended as an organization to fight communism. He, therefore, wrote to the Bureau to determine if we had any information regarding the organization or if we could refer him to some individual or agency which has such information. He stated he did not desire to join the John Birch Society without a thorough investigation. Bufiles contain no identifiable data concerning the correspondent.

The John Birch Society and its founder, Robert Welch, have not been the subjects of an investigation by the Bureau. Welch and his organization have been very critical of President Eisenhower and his administration. Information concerning this individual and his organization is contained in SAC Letter 60-5. (62-104401)

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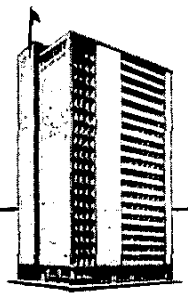

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AUGUST 23, 1960

MR. J. EDGAR HOOVER, DIRECTOR
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

DEAR MR. HOOVER:

THE JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY HAS BEEN STRONGLY RECOMMENDED TO ME AS AN ORGANIZATION FOUNDED SPECIFICALLY TO FIGHT THE EVILS OF SOCIALIZATION AND COMMUNISM.

I FEEL THAT IT IS MY DUTY TO FIGHT THESE TWO EVILS WHICH THREATEN OUR DEMOCRACY. IN THAT CONNECTION, I AM WRITING TO YOU SPECIFICALLY TO FIND OUT IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION REGARDING THIS ORGANIZATION, OR IF YOU CAN REFER ME TO SOME RESPONSIBLE INDIVIDUAL OR AGENCY WHO DOES. I AM QUITE COGNIZANT OF THE FACT THAT THERE ARE SOME ORGANIZATIONS WHICH APPEAR TO BE ANTI-COMMUNIST, BUT WHICH ARE ACTUALLY COMMUNIST FRONTS. I DO NOT WANT TO JOIN THE JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY WITHOUT A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION.

I SHALL APPRECIATE YOUR ATTENTION TO THIS MATTER, AND IF IT IS NECESSARY FOR YOU TO FORWARD THIS TO SOME OTHER INDIVIDUAL OR AGENCY FOR SPECIFIC ANSWER, I SHALL FURTHER APPRECIATE YOUR DOING THAT RATHER THAN RETURNING THE INQUIRY TO ME DIRECTLY. OF COURSE, IN THE EVENT SUCH ACTION IS NECESSARY, I SHALL APPRECIATE A CARBON COPY OF YOUR LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL.

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Mr. [redacted]

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Sedro Woolley, Washington

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DATE 8/22/94 BY [redacted]

Dear Mr. [redacted]

I have received your kind letter of August 20, 1960, concerning my pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth," and I want to take this opportunity to thank you and your wife for your kind comments regarding it. I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no references to [redacted]

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[redacted]
Sedro Woolley, Wash
Aug. 20, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director F.B.I.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover.

My congressman, Jack Westland send me your pamphlet Communist Target--Youth.

This is to thank you for writing it. As a member of the John Birch Society we are going to see that every high school student in this area reads this pamphlet.

Please don't reply -- use the time to keep up the good work.

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Sincerely,

/s/ [redacted]

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director F.B.I.
Washington, D.C.

John Birch Society

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Sincerely,
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Mrs. [redacted]
[redacted]
Houston 35, Texas

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DATE 5/22/84 BY 60324 UCBAW/MTR

Dear Mrs. [redacted]

Your letter of August 23, 1960, regarding my recent report on the demonstration which took place at the hearings of the House Committee on Un-American Activities in San Francisco, has been received.

The thought which prompted you to write is deeply appreciated, and in response to your request, I am enclosing a copy of my pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth," along with some other information on the subject of communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no derogatory information regarding Mrs. [redacted] and we have had no prior correspondence with her.

Members of the John Birch Society were instructed in a monthly publication of their organization to direct these congratulatory letters to the Director. The John Birch Society is an allegedly anti-

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communist organization which was founded by Robert Welch in December, 1958, at Indianapolis, Indiana. Welch has been critical of President Eisenhower and his administration. This organization was brought to the attention of the field by SAC letter 60-5, and this letter instructed the field to forward any information regarding this organization's activities to the Bureau.

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Houston, Texas
August 23, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director, F. B. I.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your years of devotion and courage in fighting the menace of communism to this country -

I understand from some friends of mine who are in the John Birch Society that you have written an excellent report on the San Francisco riots entitled Communist Target Youth. I would appreciate having a copy of this report very much. If not available from your office, where may I get a copy?

Please keep up the good work and speak out at every opportunity.

May God bless you.

Yours truly,
Mrs. [redacted]
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Houston, Texas
August [redacted], 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director, F. B. I.
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Sir,

Thank you for your years of devotion and courage in fighting the menace of communism to this country- John Birch Society friends

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Please keep up the good work -- and speak out at every opportunity.

May God bless you.

Yours truly,

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Mrs. [redacted]

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Mrs. [redacted]
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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

Your letter postmarked August 23, 1960, regarding my report on the demonstrations which took place at the hearings of the House Committee on Un-American Activities in San Francisco, has been received.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your prayers, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material on the subject of communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Dallas 5, Texas
August 20, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Hoover:

Please accept my sincere congratulations on your report as contained in the pamphlet of the Un-American Activities Committee, "Communist Target -- Youth".

Undoubtedly you are receiving other communications from other members of the John Birch Society and it would be a burden to answer them all. Please do not feel that it is necessary for you to do so.

With prayers and best wishes for your continued good work, I am

Very sincerely yours,

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Dear Miss [redacted]

Your letter postmarked August 24, 1960, concerning my report on the demonstration which took place before the House Committee on Un-American Activities hearings in San Francisco, has been received.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your kind comments regarding this Bureau. In the event you have not read my statement, I am enclosing a copy of the pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth" along with some other material on communism which may be of interest to you.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosures (4)
Analysis of 17th Convention CP, USA & March 1960 LEB Intro
Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
Expose of Soviet Espionage
Communist Target--Youth

NOTE: Bufiles contain no references to Miss Scheid. Miss Scheid is a member of the John Birch Society which was formed by Robert Welch in Indianapolis, Indiana, in December, 1958. It is allegedly an anticommunist organization with branches over various parts of the country. Welch, however, has been very critical of President Eisenhower and his administration. SAC letter 60-5 brings this organization to the attention of the field and instructs them to forward any info regarding their activities to the Bureau.

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August 21, 1960

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I have recently learned of your Anti Communistic release reguarding the San Francisio riots. And wish to express my gratitude and congradulation on another good job. Please keep up your excellnt work and make every effort to see that such important information is made readily available to the American public.

Our local John Birch group is one hundred percent for you in such efforts.

Sincerely,

/s/ [redacted]

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Houston 25, Texas

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August 21, 1960

Dear Mr. Hoover,

John Birch Society

I have recently learned of your Anti Communistic release regarding the San Francisco riots, and wish to express my gratitude and congradulations on another good job. Please keep up your excellent work and make every effort to see that such important information is made readily available to the American public.

Our local John Birch group is one hundred percent for you in such efforts.

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Sincerely,

[redacted]

Houston 25, Texas

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August 31, 1960

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Houston, Texas

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DATE [illegible]

Dear Miss [redacted]

Your letter of August 22, 1960, regarding my statement, "Communist Target--Youth," and my book, "Masters of Deceit," has been received.

I appreciate your thoughtfulness in writing me about the publications, and your expression of confidence in the FBI is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material on the general subject of communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufile 9-33999 is an Extortion Main File which lists one [redacted] as the victim. It is noted that the case covered the period 2-21-58 to 4-22-58, and at the time Miss [redacted] was a 12-year-old juvenile residing in Fort Worth. USA, Fort Worth, declined prosecution and case was closed. The salutation "Miss" is used inasmuch as the spelling [redacted]' is typical for a female.

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Letter to Miss [redacted]

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A monthly publication of this organization instructed all members to write to the Director regarding his pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth."

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[redacted]
Houston, Texas
August 22, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have recently read your "Masters of Deceit" and pamphlet entitled "Communism Target--Youth." May I congratulate you on the excellence of this report; I have ordered copies and will circulate those, as well as your book, as fast as I can.

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On schedule, I plan to see your departments' film, released to the public, of the San Francisco attack on the House Un-American Activities Committee.

Thank you for your support of this Committee and to the welfare of our nation in helping the public hear the truth to enable us to better help you in defending our country against Communism.

Respectfully

s/[redacted]
John Birch Society

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Houston, Texas
August 22, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

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Dear Sir: John O Birch Society

I have recently read your "Masters of Deceit" and pamphlet entitled "Communism Target - Youth". May I congratulate you on the excellence of this report. I have ordered copies and will circulate those, as well as your book, as fast as I can.

On schedule, I plan to see your department's film, released to the public, of the San Francisco attack on the House Un-American Activities Committee.

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I thank you for your support of this Committee and to the welfare of our nation in helping the public learn the truth to enable us to better help you in defending our country against Communism.

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Respectfully,

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR FBI

DATE: 8/12/60

FROM : SAC KANSAS CITY (62-NEW)

SUBJECT: CITIZENS AGAINST COMMUNISM
WICHITA, KANSAS
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Re Kansas City letter 5/28/58.

John Birch Society

The following enclosures are submitted herewith:

1. A favorable cartoon which appeared in the August 1960 edition of "The Kay Cee Kay". This is the monthly publication of the Chamber of Commerce in Kansas City, Kansas.

2. A post card distributed by Citizens Against Communism, entitled "Who Murdered Bang-Jensen?"

3. Post card distributed by Citizens Against Communism, entitled "We Should Give Them More Foreign Aid".

4. Post card distributed by Citizens Against Communism captioned "Is it our program to surrender on the installment plan?"

5. A post card distributed by Citizens Against Communism, entitled "The Supreme Court turns the rats loose. Will they destroy us?"

6. A post card distributed by Citizens Against Communism, entitled "Which mask shall I wear when I push her over?"

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KC 62-CITIZENS AGAINST COMMUNISM
Wichita, Kansas

The August 1960 issue of "The Kay Cee Kay", which has just been released, contained as a feature cartoon, the item which is described as enclosure #1. In view of the favorable light in which the FBI is presented in this cartoon, inquiry was made of Mr. MAURICE TUDOR, Editor, to determine whether the cartoon was original or syndicated. Mr. TUDOR advised that this cartoon was furnished his paper by captioned organization. He said they expected to receive further cartoons of an anti-Communist nature for publication in subsequent monthly editions.

Referenced Kansas City letter advised of the formation of captioned organization for the purpose of purchasing and distributing 1,000 copies of the Director's book, "Masters of Deceit". In referenced letter, three prominent and wealthy individuals were identified as sponsoring the organization, including Mr. FRED KOCH, President of the Wood River Oil Company.

Kansas City letter dated July 31, 1957 captioned FRED C. KOCH, 321 West Douglas, Wichita 2, Kansas, furnished background information concerning KOCH, including information concerning a trip by KOCH to the USSR in 1956. This information was furnished the Bureau in connection with a letter from KOCH to the Director dated July 19, 1957.

Kansas City letter dated January 7, 1960 furnished information concerning the reproduction in the Wichita evening Eagle at Wichita, Kansas of an unfavorable editorial which appeared originally in the Louisville, Kentucky Courier-Journal. Also set out was information concerning a petition signed by 44 individuals who vigorously protested to the Wichita Eagle, publication of the Courier-Journal article. By letter to the Director dated January 5, 1960, Mr. KOCH called attention to this matter and indications are that he sponsored the petition in support of the Bureau.

Kansas City letter dated June 2, 1960, captioned ROBERT H. WELCH, JR., INFORMATION CONCERNING, (INTERNAL SECURITY). This letter further identifies KOCH as having business interests throughout the world and to be connected with numerous oil companies. KOCH's support of the formation of a John Birch Society in Wichita was set out. KOCH is described as supporting ROBERT H. WELCH financially in the formation of the John Birch Society in the Wichita area.

KC 62-CITIZENS AGAINST COMMUNISM
Wichita, Kansas

Kansas City files further reflect that on June 6, 1960, Captain [redacted] U. S. Marine Corps, Wichita, Kansas, furnished information concerning the John Birch Society, the Marine Corps League and captioned organization. Captain [redacted] was concerned because of the association between the Marine Corps League and captioned organization. He explained that the League had no official connection with the Marine Corps but because of the name "Marine", the League's action would reflect on the Marine Corps. Captain [redacted] furnished five post cards, which are described above as enclosures 2 through 6. He stated these cards were "so rabid they might cause lack of faith in Government leaders". b6 b7C

A memorandum dated August 1, 1960, reflects information received from [redacted] Mrs. [redacted] identified herself as a [redacted] for the Kansas City Kansan newspaper. She advised that FRED C. KOCH was the speaker at a luncheon meeting on July 28, 1960 and that he commented to the effect that 20 "bombs" in the United States are under the control of Russia, that the head man in the Pentagon is a Russian spy and that the Russians have infiltrated every phase of American life. b6 b7C

It appears very likely that further cartoons will be distributed by captioned organization and that further post cards will be available. In view of his strong pro-Bureau attitude and excellent reputation, UACB, Mr. KOCH will be discreetly contacted on or after August 23, 1960 for information concerning enclosure #1 described above, and for copies of any other post cards and cartoon mats which relate to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

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August 31, 1960

MR [redacted]

Mrs. [redacted]
Los Angeles 4, California

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

MR + MRS [redacted] I have received the letter of August 23, 1960, from you and your husband and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write. Your expression of confidence is most reassuring.

I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no record on Mr. and Mrs. [redacted] They indicate under their signature that they are members of the John Birch Society. The Society is allegedly an anticommunist organization which was founded by Robert Welch in Indianapolis, Indiana, in Dec., 1958. Welch has been quite critical of President Eisenhower and his Administration. SAC letter 60-5 calls this organization to the attention of the field and instructs them to furnish any information re their activities to the Bureau. A monthly publication of this organization instructed all members to write to the Director re his pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth."

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Mr. [redacted] Aug 23 - 60
[redacted] Los Angeles 4, California

J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir:

We thank you for your publicizing the San Francisco Riot thru the Un American Activities Committee

Please keep it up.

No answer necessary

Sincerely

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s/Mr & Mrs [redacted]
(John Birch Society)

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Mr. [redacted]

[redacted] Los Angeles 4, California

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Miss Gandy	

J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington d.c.

Dear Sir:

We thank you for your publicizing the San Francisco Riot thru the Un American Activities Committee

Please keep it up.

No answer necessary

Sincerely

Mr & Mrs [redacted]

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Midland, Texas

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Dear Mrs. [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 20, 1960, and appreciate the thought which prompted you to write. Thank you for your very generous remarks and your prayers.

It was very kind of you to comment as you did regarding my report, "Communist Target--Youth." In view of your concern about communism, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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Enclosures (3)
Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
17th CP USA Convention and 3/60 LEB Introduction
Expose of Soviet Espionage

NOTE: No record Bufiles identifiable with correspondent.

The John Birch Society was organized by Robert Welch in December, 1958 at Indianapolis, Indiana. It is allegedly an anticommunist organization with branches over

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Members of the Society were instructed in their monthly publication to write the Director these letters of congratulations.

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MRS. [redacted] · MIDLAND, TEXAS

August 20, 1960

J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Sir;

In these very troubled and perilous times my one solace is that you are still director of the F. B. I. It seems yours is the only government organization that is truly American and is trying to keep our country free.

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I want to commend you on the excellence of your pamphlet "Communist Target--Youth." I belong to the John Birch Society and through our organization we are seeing to it that your report is widely read. Every parent and educator should read this to become more aware of the dangers that are present.

Thank you for your constant vigilance. I pray that may continue with your work. Please do not feel that you must answer this letter. You have much more important communications to answer I am sure.

Sincerely,

/s/ [redacted]

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MRS. [redacted] MIDLAND, TEXAS b6 b7C

August 20, 1960

John Birch Society

J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

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DATE 8/22/84 BY [redacted]

Dear Sir;

In these very troubled and perilous times my one solace is that you are still director of the F.B.I. It seems yours is the only government organization that is truly American and is trying to keep our country free.

I want to commend you [redacted] The excellence of your pamphlet "Communist Target-youth." I belong to the John Birch Society and thru our organization we are seeing

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Sincerely,

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11 DIRECTOR
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September 1, 1960

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Dr. [redacted]
Houston 5, Texas

Dear Mrs. [redacted]:

I have received the letter of August 26, 1960, from you and Dr. Hutchins, and the thought which prompted you to write is deeply appreciated.

It was kind of you to comment as you did regarding the pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth," and your expression of confidence is most reassuring. I am enclosing some material on the general subject of communism which you may find to be of interest.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Expose of Soviet Espionage

NOTE: It is noted that on February 13, 1960, [redacted] held a meeting in their home for the purpose of organizing a chapter of the John Birch Society in the Houston area. We have had no previous correspondence with them.

The John Birch Society is allegedly an anticommunist organization which was founded by Robert Welch at Indianapolis, Indiana, in December, 1958. Welch has been quite critical of

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President Eisenhower and his administration. This organization was brought to the attention of the field by SAC Letter 60-5 which instructs the field to forward any information regarding this or organizations activities to the Bureau. A monthly publication of the John Birch Society instructed its members to write these congratulatory letters to the Director on his pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth."

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[redacted]
Houston 5, Texas
Aug. 26, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
% F.B.I.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Just a short letter (with no answer expected) to compliment you on the excelent phamphlet which we understad you had a part in, "Communist Target-Youth." Now if you can come up with an answer as to how to get people to read it and believe it, you will have found the answer as to how to save our country! Keep up the good work!

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Very truly yours,

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Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
Glenview, Illinois

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DATE 8/22/94 BY [redacted]

Dear Mr. [redacted]

Your letter of August 24, 1960, regarding my report on the demonstration at the hearings of the House Committee on Un-American Activities in San Francisco has been received.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous comments concerning my statement, "Communist Target--Youth," and I am enclosing some material on the subject of communism which you may find to be of interest.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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What You Can Do to Fight Communism
The Communists Are After Our Minds

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NOTE: Bufiles contain no information identifiable with Mr. [redacted] He mentions in his letter that he is a member of the John Birch Society. The Society was founded in Indianapolis, Indiana, in December 1958 by Robert Welch. Mr. Welch has been quite critical of President Eisenhower and his Administration. SAC letter 60-5 calls this organization to the attention of the field and instructs them to furnish any information regarding this organization's activities to the Bureau. Members of the Society were instructed to write these congratulatory letters to the Director in one of their monthly publications.

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Glenview, Illinois

August 24, 1960

Mr. J Edgar Hoover

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Please accept my congratulations on the excellence of your report contained in the pamphlet "Communist Target - Youth." I myself am a youth, being seventeen years of age, and many of my friends in the high schools and colleges in the Chicago area join with me in encouraging you in your noble pursuits in the fight against Communism. Many of us are, like myself, members of the recently formed and enthusiastically growing John Birch Society, and that society also wishes to congratulate and encourage you and any who would follow you.

Sincerely,

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CORRESPONDENCE

August 21, 1960

Dear Mr. Hoover:

As a member of the John Birch Society, may I congratulate you on your excellent report which constitutes the bulk of COMMUNIST TARGET--YOUTH.

In these days of disasterous undermining by the Communist in this nation, we are indeed fortunate to have such a patriot as you, doing all you can, in spite of such great odds.

I am one of many who are aware of the problem and your work concerning it and though you do not hear from all of us, you may be sure that we are here.

Please do not take the time to answer this note, as no answer is required and enough of your time has been taken reading this.

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Yours truly,

[redacted]

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Miss [redacted]
[redacted]
Houston 17, Texas

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Dear Miss [redacted]

I have received your letter of August 21, 1960, regarding my report entitled "Communist Target--Youth," and the thought which prompted you to write is appreciated.

I am enclosing some material on the subject of communism which you may find of interest. I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your kind comments concerning the pamphlet, and your expression of confidence is most reassuring.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Letter to Miss [redacted]

NOTE cont....

Robert Welch, founder of the John Birch Society, has been quite critical of President Eisenhower and his Administration. SAC letter 60-5 brought this organization to the attention of the field and instructed them to forward any information concerning the Society's activities to the Bureau. Members of the Society were asked to write these letters of congratulations to the Director in one of their monthly publications.

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Mr. [redacted]
Milwaukee 4, Wisconsin

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Dear Mr. [redacted]

I have read your letter of August 25, 1960, regarding my report on the demonstration which took place at the hearings of the House Committee on Un-American Activities in San Francisco.

The thought which prompted you to write is appreciated, and your expression of confidence is most reassuring. In view of your interest in combating the communist menace, I am enclosing some material which may be of interest to you.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Communism: The Bitter Enemy of Religion
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NOTE: No record can be ascertained in Bufiles for Mr. [redacted] He indicates that he is a member of the John Birch Society. The John Birch Society was founded by Robert Welch in Indianapolis, Indiana, in Dec. 1958. Welch has been quite critical of President Eisenhower and his administration. SAC Let 60-5 brought this organization to attention of the field and instructed them to forward any information regarding its activities to the Bureau. Members of Society were instructed in one of their publications to write these congratulatory letters to the Director.

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August 25, 1960

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Department of Justice
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Sir:

As both a concerned American and an interested student on the communist conspiracy, I have written to the House Committee on Un-American Activities to obtain information. Just this week I wrote the committee and requested the pamphlet which was produced under your direction; "Communist Target- - Youth", by name.

I am concerned about all phases of the communist drive to conquer the world, but more so about the happenings right here in America. What so many people think is a bunch of nonsense and can't happen here (my own minister included) is already occurring and has. Two examples are the San Francisco and Newport student riots. With the afore mentioned pamphlet, I hope to dispell the false securities established by those complacent people I've met, especially with such timely evidence on the recent riots.

I'm sure I can more capably eulogize your pamphlet after I read it. But as I have not received my requested copy, I shall, for the time being, contain my praise in my appreciation for your timeliness in this effort. The light is on for those who will open their eyes and see the truth, even while the rumblings of thet communist inspired outbursts have not yet dissipated. I feel, too, that the education for American salvation from communism is advanced another step whenever accurate information of this sort is made available.

I do not expect you to answer my letter in this case, not that I would refuse the obligation. I only realize that you will undoubtedly receive many letters on this situation aside from being very busy anyway. Many of the letters you will receive will be from John Birch Society members like myself.

The John Birch Society would not be mentioned here, as that name is not flaunted in almost any instance, were it not for the general feeling (of the group) that your department know of the type of material we think necessary to combat communism. Needless to say, "Communist Target -- Youth" can and will be used as a literary "fixed bayonet".

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With sincere regard for your efforts, I am,

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Very truly yours,

[redacted]

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Mrs. [redacted]
Phoenix, Arizona

Dear Mrs. [redacted]

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I have received the letter of August 25, 1960, from you and your husband, and the thought which prompted you to write is indeed appreciated.

Your kind remarks concerning the pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth," and expression of confidence are most reassuring. I am enclosing some material on the general subject of communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Aug 25, 1960

Dear Mr. Hoover,

As a member of the John Birch Society, I wish to congratulate you on the excellence of your report in the pamphlet, "Communist Target-Youth."

Wish our country had many more staunch supporters of our American way of life, like yourself.

No reply to this note is necessary nor expected. Just keep up the good work.

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Your's truly,

/s/ Mr. & Mrs [redacted]

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Mr. Boardman
Mr. Parsons
Mr. Belmont
Mr. Callahan
Mr. DeLoach
Mr. Malone
Mr. McGuire
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Yours truly,

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Houston 25, Texas
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Mr. Parsons
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Mr. Callahan
Mr. DeLoach
Mr. Malone
Mr. McGuire
Mr. Rosen
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Miss Gandy

J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Please permit me to congratulate you on the excellence of your report which constituted the bulk of the pamphlet published by the House Un-American Activities Committee entitled Communist Target--Youth.

I do not expect an answer to this letter.

Very truly yours,

[redacted]

Member The John Birch Society

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Mr. [redacted]

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Houston 25, Texas

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Dear Mr. Wallingford:

Your letter of August 24, 1960, regarding my report on the demonstrations which took place at the hearings of the House Committee on Un-American Activities in San Francisco, has been received.

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for your kind comments concerning the pamphlet, "Communist Target--Youth," and I am enclosing some material on communism which may be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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The John Birch Society was founded by Robert Welch in Indianapolis, Indiana, in December, 1958. It is allegedly an anticommunist organization with branches over various parts of the country. SAC letter 60-5 brought this organization to the attention of the field and instructs them to forward any information regarding this organization's activities to the Bureau.

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Very truly yours,

/s/ [redacted]
Member, The John Birch Society

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